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All the above documents were cited in a Notice of Allowance issued on October 14, 2008 by the Korean Intellectual Property Office from a Korean patent application related to the instant application through priority. A copy of an English translation of the Korean Notice of Allowance is filed herewith. It should be noted that the Notice of Allowance also lists JP19530313, however that publication is from a Japanese patent application related to the subject application through priority. Thus, JP19530313 is not listed in this Information Disclosure Statement. Additionally, as a copy of KR10-1992-0703342 is not currently available to the Applicants, a Bibliographic Information printout is submitted herewith, which includes priority information for that published patent application that lists US Patent Application 07/616,853 (which corresponds to US 5,342,731). Thus, US Patent No. 5,342,731 is cited as a English Language equivalent to that Korean patent publication. Additionally, it should be noted that WO95/10419 is that international priority document associated with U.S. Patent No. 6,036,230, already cited by the Examiner in the subject application. Further EP1398174 is the EPO priority document associated with U.S. Published Patent Application No. 2007/0029784 also already cited by the Examiner in the subject application.

Applicants are not aware of any other references to be identified at this time. If the Examiner has any questions or comments relating to the present application, he or she is respectfully invited to contact Applicants' attorney at the telephone number set forth below.

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